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## RUSSIANS HEMMED IN.

**Kuropatkin's Army Said to Have Been Entrapped by Japanese.**

## 50,000 TROOPS IN HIS REAR.

**Port Arthur Bombed Again by Admiral Togo—Russians Say He Lost Battleship and Cruiser—Were Blown up by Submarine Mines.**

**London, May 19.—** Dispatches from Manchurian points indicate that the wily Japanese have a deep-planned plan by which they will attempt a master stroke which, if successful, will impose a crushing blow on the czar's land forces.

What this stroke is, the report mentioned seems to make manifest. Several dispatches, notably one from the Central News Room correspondent, indicate that General Kuroki has sent a large force of troops to the north of Mukden, and that the latter place is now practically cut off. These reports, if true, may be the signal that is, that the Japanese, for the time at least, are masters of the situation. A large force now lies between Mukden and Russia. General Kuropatkin will have to fight a double-headed encamp with a large force in front and another large force in his rear.

To add to the importance of the movement, it is stated that the Japanese outnumber the Russians.

Several experts express the belief that the force back of Mukden numbers fully 50,000. They base their belief on the fact that three divisions of the Japanese army approximating that number are known to have left the main Japanese force, and nothing as to their whereabouts has been heard for some days. These divisions are said to be the ones back of the Manchurian capital.

**Battle at Mukden Likely.**

Other reports at hand indicate that the fight will occur at Mukden, and not at Liao-Yang, as has been expected.

General Kuropatkin is reported to have discovered that his position at Liao-Yang was untenable, and has as a result retreated toward the capital. This report is not confirmed, but owing to the remarkable silence as to the exact whereabouts of the main Russian force it is given some belief.

**Choo, May 19.—**Russian refugees who have arrived here on a junk from Port Daing say that the Japanese bombarded Port Arthur last Monday. Russian officers who were on Golden Hill declared that they had fled to the refugees that during the bombardment a Japanese battleship and a cruiser struck mines and sank.

The warships reported to have been sunk at Port Arthur are the battleship Shikishima, and the armored cruiser Asama. The story is not believed here, but the Russians who brought the news insist that it is true.

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most mountainous and would give the Russians an opportunity of overwhelming the enemy.

Confirming the intuitions that it is General Kuropatkin's purpose to avoid a decisive combat with the Japanese at the present stage of the war, the statement was made by the general staff today that the commander-in-chief is making preparations to fall back on Mukden and then on Harbin.

One of the reasons for the desperate effort of the Russians to get to Port Arthur what is officially called an "ammunition train," has been revealed. There was little need, it appears, for more ammunition, great quantities being stored in the fortress, but General Stoeckel was exceedingly anxious to be provided with balloons. Before the war, the Russian authorities loaded on a vessel a complete balloon equipment for Metzchurin, but it was captured by the Japanese, who will use it, perhaps, in their operations against Port Arthur. Recognizing the need of providing General Stoeckel with all the requisite instruments with which to conduct the defense of Port Arthur, General Kuropatkin is believed to have sent balloons on the "ammunition train."

"If the Japanese try to drift balloons over Port Arthur and drop explosives on the fortress," an officer said, "the world will hear of the first battle in the air."

**Togo Used Submarine Boat.**

The admiral is convinced that Vice Admiral Togo used submarine boats in his operations. A letter from Lieutenant Schreiber claims he distinctly saw the periscope of a submarine boat and could trace the course of the vessel. Officers of the Russian battleship Petropavloski testified that a submarine boat discharged a torpedo against their ship and they fired at the submarine boat, hoping to sink it, but failed.

**London, May 19.—**The Daily Telegraph's New Chwang correspondent under date of May 18 says:

"After driving over 1,500 Russian and destroying the railway the Japanese reembarked from Kal-Chou in the combined fleet heading southward."

"The Russians re-entered New Chwang with 1,000 infantry and two batteries of artillery, but all preparations are made for an early evacuation."

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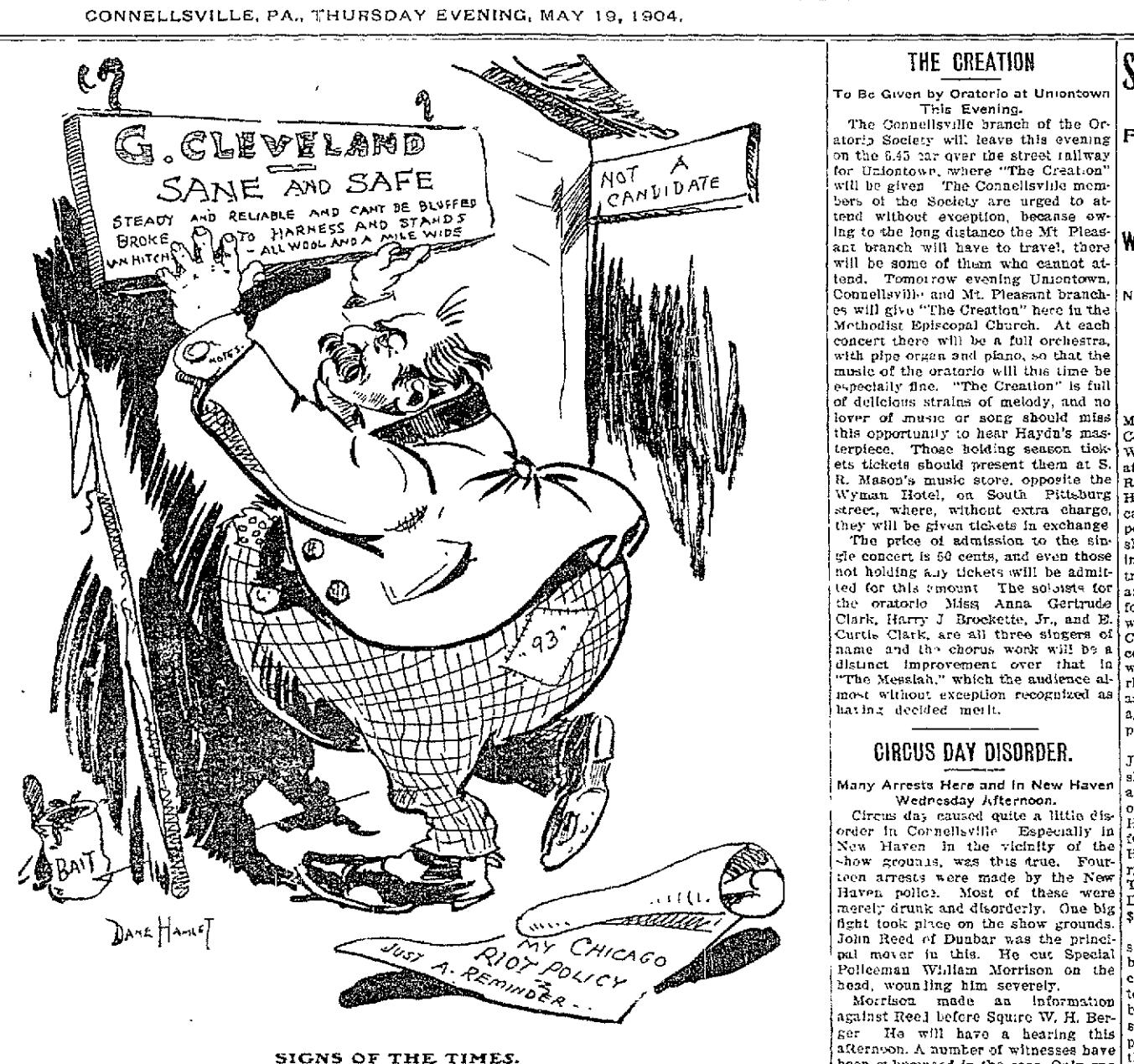
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SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

## DA & GILKIN IN R. GTS.

**Has Been Awarded Four Small Orts Within Past Few Days.**

**D. F. Girard** the well known hotel contractor, has awarded the contract for the addition which is to be built to the Girard office, the addition to the residence of Dr. H. J. Cull, 1408 Chestnut, the new residence of Vice Count Sonnen on Fairview avenue and the handsome brick stable of John Neumann at Dawson. The interior designer and architect was started this morning at the residence of Dr. Cull.

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## THE GIRL IN WHITE.

**SMOOT FOR PRESIDENT.**

**Washington and Jefferson Students Select Jefferson As Running Mate.**

**Wilmington, May 19.—**Four hundred students from Washington and Jefferson University and the Academy of the Holy Angels, a total of 1,000, gathered in the vicinity of the show grounds, was this true. Fourteen arrests were made by the New Haven police. Most of these were merely drunk and disorderly. One big fight took place on the show grounds. John Reed of Dunbar was the principal mover in this. He cut Special Policeman William Morrison on the head, wounding him severely.

Morrison made an information against Reed before Square W. H. Berger. He will have a hearing this afternoon. A number of witnesses have been subpoenaed in the case. Only one prisoner was up for a hearing before Burgess Crossland this morning.

The Connellsville police station was well filled all day Wednesday and is still crowded. Six prisoners were disposed of this morning. Nelson Bird, color t. of New Haven, was the cause of a fight on Main street in the evening. Bird was released by the Burgess this morning, he having shown that he was not on the aggressive in the fight. The other participants were released on forfeits. The other prisoners were plain drunks.

## SCOTTDALE COMMENCEMENT.

**Class of 1904 Will Be First One to Wear Caps and Gowns.**

**Scottdale, May 19.—**The first High school class to graduate here, in caps and gowns, will be that of 1904, on the evening of May 26. The following are the members of the class: Marshall Carlisle, Oliver Hess, Nelle Herbert, Ruth Joquits, Lizzie Landenberger, Pearl Merritt, Hattie Migh, Ma Newayne, Margaret Percy, Florence Rohrbach and John McClary. William Grayson, Benton Gibson, Samuel B. Grayson, Walter Miller and Wilfred Motsch.

**Redstone Assessor's Figures.**

**Emmanuel Franks, assessor of Redstone township, was in Uniontown yesterday settling with the county commissioners for the spring registration of voters and school children. He found 330 of the former and 316 of the latter between the ages of 18 and 26 years. Franks says that he will only see a day in making the rounds of the township, but that he worked about 14 hours each day. Like many other assessors, he thought that a certain number of houses should constitute a day's work and he should be allowed extra for all the time put in over that.**

**Ewing A. Leonard Dead.**

**McClintondale Leonard received word Wednesday of the death of his brother, Ewing A. Leonard, at the home of another brother, William, at Mt. Washington, Pittsburgh, which occurred as the result of paralysis the night before. He was 39 years of age and left two small children. The wife and mother died some time ago. The remains were brought to Uniontown today and the funeral will be held from there.**

**B. & O. PLANS.**

**To Shorten Their Route East from Pittsburg.**

**Baltimore, May 18.—**The purchase of the South Penn railroad by the Baltimore & Ohio was in connection with the plans announced some time ago to shorten the route between Baltimore and Pittsburg. The price was \$5,500, subject to the bonded indebtedness and other claims against the property. These obligations amount to \$3,000,000 and some time ago the management of the Baltimore & Ohio placed them for a nominal sum.

**The plan of the company is to build a railroad from Hancock, Md., via Bedford, Pa., to a connection with the Somerset & Cambria branch of the Baltimore & Ohio. The plan for this line were mapped out last year and surveys made. It will shorten the distance from Baltimore to Pittsburg and Chicago about 50 miles and will cost upward of \$3,000,000.**

**Settled Costs and Fines.**

**The last scene in the famous Kate Sofel, Lewis Lesser and George O'Halloran case, which was tried at Pittsburgh, was adjourned to a hearing on May 19. The trial was adjourned in a number of cases because the defendants are in jail. The defendants are J. F. Member of Ligonia, and Oswald Heppner of New Kensington. Samuel Mastani and Joseph Rizzo were fined \$60 and costs for selling adulterated cider. Felix Feyer is on trial for the same offense. The parties reside at Trafford City.**

**Schuetz's Victim Dies.**

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### A HEARING IN EQUITY

Held Tuesday in Case of  
Hoover Against Sha-  
ron Coke Co.

### A DIVISION IS NOW WANTED,

But There is a Dispute As to What  
Portion of the Acreage About the  
Coke Plant Shall Go to Hoover.

Uniontown, May 18.—[Special]—Another hearing was held Tuesday afternoon in the case of James H. Hoover against the Sharon Coke Company. This is an action in equity brought to compel the defendant company to account to Hoover for all the coal mined at their plant in German township since they began operations a few years ago, as well as compel them to make a division of the coal that remains unmined. Before the company began building their plant they entered into an agreement with Hoover whereby he was to have a certain royalty or amount of proceeds derived from the sale of the coke and coal. Hoover held a one-third interest in the tract which they began to develop, his share amounting to between \$0 and 50 acres. Hoover claimed that despite all efforts he was unable to get a settlement out of the company, so that they kept on mining out the coal without even giving him a settlement of the business done, from time to time.

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The company recognize Hoover's claim and seem entirely willing the property shall be divided. The greatest difficulty seems to be in making an equitable division of the property. On account of the location of the tract, some is much more valuable than the other. Hoover is not willing to take his portion on the background, which may not come into the market for a long time, while the defendants are not inclined to let him have his acreage around the plant, which is now very valuable.

Quite a number of witnesses familiar with the tract under development have been examined on both sides. Nathaniel Ewing and Cooper & Van

Swearingen are attorneys for the Sharon company.

John S. Dawson has been appointed assistant assessor of South Union township to take the place of Charles K. Dawson, who was elected but who failed to qualify.

J. C. Shoaf, the assessor of Nicholson township, was here Tuesday settling with the county commissioners and making his returns for the spring registration of voters and school children.

Mr. Shoaf is one of the first to make his returns. Some of the assessors have not yet called for their books.

The Misses Lyon of Lincoln street and Mrs. Evans Lynn gave a reception this afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock to about 50 of their friends. The decorations consisted of palms, ferns and cut flowers. The prevailing colors being pink and white. The effect was very beautiful.

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### ENTERTAINMENT FOR WOMEN

Board of Lady Manager's Building at  
World's Fair a Haven of Rest  
St. Louis, May 11.—At a recent meeting of the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair they decided upon a policy they will pursue during the exposition. The lower portion of their new and imposing building will be open to the general public excepting on those days when special functions are being held. At such times all the available space is needed and consequently the doors are barred to all but the ladies and their guests.

There is a faithful guardian in the person of one of the Jefferson guards who has been detailed to keep watch and ward over the building.

There are comfortable reception rooms, writing and retiring rooms, where the weary sightseer may rest herself in a cool and spacious apartment. Japanese matting covers the floor; easy chairs are scattered about, a soft maid in attendance.

None but specially invited guests are supposed to invade the privacy of the upper rooms, as they are reserved for the exclusive use of the board members and their friends. At the last meeting a number of elaborate functions were planned. The rooms are admirably adapted for the purpose, being large and sumptuously furnished.

There are cosy tea rooms with dainty appointments; they are cool and airy and from the windows a good view of the exposition may be had. The tea service is of old-time painted porcelain. The prevailing style of the rooms is a soft green, the carpet remaining one of the same bank in midsummer.

The grand saloon is as stately as that of an old French chateau, the furniture in the ornate style of the Louis Quinze period. The carved and heavily gilded frames are upholstered with powdered damask.

There are cabinets and consoles of solid mahogany, Venetian crystal chandeliers and antique mirrors in tasseled gold frames, which once reflected the face of some dead and gone beauty.

This fine saloon will be used for ceremonial functions, while the smaller rooms will be opened for less formal entertainments.

Resident in the building are Miss

Virginia S. Gould, the secretary, and Miss

Jeanne. The Misses McElroy, the hostess,

Miss Lynn attends to all affairs of the

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Later the ladies will entertain the

army and navy at the suggestion of

the Waverly mine tipple is being

painted.

Miss Gould. Sometimes during May they will offer a reception to the farriers of distinction. In case President and Mrs. Roosevelt come to St. Louis the ladies are prepared to entertain them in sumptuous fashion, in fact, the board will engage in a constant round of entertaining throughout the exposition period.

### OLD FORT NECESSITY.

Meeting Thursday Evening to Plan  
For a Celebration on July 4th.

The proposition to hold a public celebration on the 4th of July next on the site of Fort Necessity, by way of celebrating the 150th anniversary of the battle fought there by General Washington, is exerting a good deal of interest, but nothing definite has yet been done. A meeting of all citizens who feel any interest in the scheme will be held on Thursday evening, May 19, at 7:30 o'clock, in Old Fellow's Hall, Rankin and Hogan buildings.

It is open to everybody. Let there be a big turnout. There ought to be something going on on the 4th of July in this locality and nothing could be more appropriate than a celebration at old Fort Necessity.

### World's Fair Service

Via P. & L. E. Railroad. Through train service, commencing Monday, May 16, will be established leaving Pittsburgh at 1:30 P. M., city time, arriving at Union station, St. Louis, via Big Four Route, at 7:30 morning. The return service leaves St. Louis, Union Station, Big Four Route, at 12 noon, due at Pittsburgh at 6:30 next morning.

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Edgar Pershing, an old Connellsville boy, now a prominent attorney of Philadelphia, is in Connellsville for several days. He is taking testimony in Fayette county.

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You will soon need cool headgear, and you are sure of getting the correct thing here. Our entire stock of straws is now here, with variety enough to fit every face and figure, at the price you wish to pay.

**The 1904 Howard Sailor at \$2.00** **Genuine Panama Hats at \$6.50**

Is simply straw hat perfection and it meets the unbiased approval of good dressers. We also show all the late styles in

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Perhaps you have never worn the well known brand. If you have not, we suggest that you buy one. If you have you will insist on having one we have them in plain or pleated fronts, in white, linen and fancy colors, in percale, madras and the popular open mesh, attached and detached cuffs

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**\$1.50**

**\$2.00**

**MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.**

The Finest Millinery Exhibition ever presented in this vicinity.

Many pleasant things have been already said of this department by those who have had the pleasure of visiting it. To those who have not as yet been able to visit our store we wish to say that our Millinery Department represents more originality, more artistic display and more creative genius than mere words can express. We are justly proud of it and we want all to share our pride. We are making a special inducement to you for the next three days to visit this department by offering

**Several Black Chiffon Turbans, value, \$3.50, special price,**

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**Lawn Waists.**

In white and colors, beautifully trimmed and perfect in style and fit price **98c to \$5.50**

**An All Linen Waist.**

This is without doubt the most serviceable and durable waist you could buy and the price we ask for it makes it the most reasonable.

**\$2.56**

**All Over Lace Waists.**

These of course are the most elaborate waists we are showing, but the prices we quote on them do not in any way indicate their unmatchable value.

**\$7.50 to \$12.50**

**White Jap Silk Waists.**

These are all washable and this fact, coupled with wearing qualities, make them an economical purchase.

**\$2.50 to \$10**

**FROM NEARBY TOWNS.**

**MOUNTAIN MATTERS.**

Brief Mention of the Happenings in Springfield Township

Normalville, May 18.—Postmaster Andrew Laughrey of Vanderbuilt and Dr. Faustell paid our village a pleasant call last Saturday. They were en route to Somerset county to fish for trout.

Mr. Smith, farm boss for the H. C. Price Coke Company, was a business visitor to the Mountain Metropolis last Saturday.

Rev. J. W. Gallatin is putting an addition 16x15 feet to his house. The entire house is being weatherboarded and he will further beautify it by the deft touch of the painter's brush.

An imprudent donation party swooped down on Mr. and Mrs. James H. Anderson about 9 o'clock Monday evening and took the aged couple by surprise. They leave next week for their new home in Pleasant Valley and their neighbors to the number of 45 to look this plan as a slight token of the high esteem in which they hold this estimable couple. Besides a number of useful presents they were presented with a purse of \$11. Prof. Cherpennings made the presentation speech. Appropriate songs and hymns were sung. Several pieces recited by Little Bassell Miller drew forth laughter and applause. The young folks indulged in "Pic in the Parlor" and other innocent amusements. Altogether it was a well and pleasantly spent evening. The only thing to mar the fun was the thought of the early departure of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson from our pleasant little village.

Walter E. Eline is building a new dwelling house.

Andrew Johnston is getting out the frame for a new barn 34x36 feet, to be erected on his property in the West End.

Chas. F. Hood, Republican candidate for Assembly and Committeeman Shieh of Dunbar are spending a happy day in the mountains trout fishing. Charley is also looking after his friends politically between catches and while baiting his hook.

Ralph, aged five years, son of John Sanner, fell out of a hay mow Saturday and was severely injured. In his descent his head struck the tire of a wheel and cut a gash to the bone. Dr. Pratt was called and dressed the wound and the little fellow seems to be getting along all right. He laid for about an hour before he was discovered.

Miss Alice Bungard of Normalville and Albert Hassen of Smithton were married May 12. They have the best wishes of many friends for a long and happy life.

The School Board met Saturday and after transacting some routine business adjourned to meet the first N.C. day in June to close our business for the past year.

Peter M. Kungard and bride were given a rousing serenade Wednesday evening.

Sleesman b. s. answered in rhyme to invitation P-of-1. G. Cherpennings.

It is a good idea to have a good

consister of fresh leatherette

and home made candles done up in bandana handkerchiefs.

**PERRYOPOLIS.**

Paragraphs from Famous Old Villages—Washington Laid Out.

Perryopolis May 17.—Mr. John Harris and his sister Miss Dibb Hetherbrand are shopkeepers in Charlestown.

An interesting game of base ball was played here Tuesday evening between Perry and Whiell.

Mrs. James H. Hassen was visiting Mrs. F. H. Xenhaus yesterday.

Mrs. Ira B. and Mrs. Laura B. were shopping in Connellsville today.

Quite a number of folks from Whitsett attended the ball game here last evening.

S. Calley of Star Junction was in town yesterday.

Henry Collett of Dawson was calling on friends in town yesterday.

Re. J. Smith of Flatwoods was on our streets Tuesday.

Bush Moseberg of Dugneus was visiting relatives in town Sunday.

Leave your order for ice cream at E. P. Shieh's.

Miss Emma Townsend was the guest of her parent's over Sunday.

William Wallace of Star Junction wears a broad smile. It is a girl.

Frank Gallatin of Monessen is working here.

Isaac Smith has returned to his home in Wintersburg after visiting friends here.

Mrs. Dunham was in town shopping yesterday.

W. J. Stephens has commenced excavating for the foundation for his new house.

Our new hotel is doing a good business now.

Mr. Holland of McKeopport is here putting the electric light fixtures in the Disciple Church. Mr. Holland thoroughly understands his work.

Rev. H. H. and wife were Connellsville shopkeepers yesterday.

Mrs. James Bell of Buffalo N. Y. is the friend of Rev. Bell of this place.

Rev. H. H. and wife were Connellsville shopkeepers yesterday.

D. Larimer moved from West New

Dr. L. T. Russell left today for Columbus, O., to attend a meeting of the American Association of Physico-Medical Physicians and Surgeons. This is the 22nd meeting. He will return Friday morning.

Mrs. Henry Rush and mother of Dawson went Monday to David Stickel's who has been quite poorly the past week.

Mrs. Edna Martin will leave this week for Poughkeepsie N. Y. where she will enter school.

William Stuck is now driving a team for the Washington Coal & Coke Company at the Bessemer mines.

Dr. Frank Martin of Pittsburgh spent Saturday and Sunday with his father G. W. Martin of our village.

W. S. Stickel spent Sunday with friends in Dawson and Vanderbilt.

Were at Mt. Pleasant

The Mt. Pleasant H. B. Ladies of the Macabees went to Greensburg on Saturday and Sunday with the guests of the Greensburg Hive.

Indians were at the site of the Iroquois including the Senecas did not bury their dead in mounds and the mound at McKeopport is doubtless one of the mounds of primitive tribes and will be discovered if it be excavated.

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For Sheriff.  
**Mart. A. Klefer**, Uniontown Borough.

For District Attorney.  
**Thomas H. Hudson**, Uniontown Bor.

For Assembly.  
**Charles F. Hagan**, Connellsville Town.

**Andrew A. Thompson**, Uniontown Bor.

**William L. Wood**, Jefferson Twp.

For Coroner.  
**Dr. Arthur S. Hagan**, Fairchance Bor.

**James J. McEachan**, Dunbar Twp.

For County Surveyor.  
**James B. Hagan**, Connellsville Bor.

**NOTICE.**

The Republican Central Committee of Fayette County, for the year 1904, will meet in the Small Court Room, Uniontown, Pa., on Saturday, May 28, 1904, at one o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a County Chairman, and of transacting such other business as may come before it. All members of this committee are urged to be present. **DAVIS W. HENDERSON**, County Chairman.

**STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.**  
State of Pennsylvania, county of Fayette, ss:

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said county and State, personally appeared John B. Cooley, who, being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say that he is employed as pressman in the office of THE DAILY COURIER,

And that he has supervision of the printing of said paper. That the number of papers printed and circulated during the week ending on Saturday, May 14, 1904, was as follows:

Monday, May 9.....3,000  
Tuesday, May 10.....2,950  
Wednesday, May 11.....6,000  
Thursday, May 12.....6,200  
Friday, May 13.....2,950  
Saturday, May 14.....2,950  
And further depones sayeth not.

**JOHN B. COOLEY**

Sworn and subscribed before me this 14th day of May, 1904.

**JOHN KURTZ,**  
Notary Public.

**SKETCH OF WM. BAILEY.**

The Oldest Resident of Stewart Township Who Died Recently.

The following sketch of the late William Bailey of Stewart township was written by E. S. J. and published in the Uniontown News Standard:

John Bailey, the father of William Bailey, was a native of Bedford county, Pa., and was of Irish parentage. About the year 1810 he was married to Fannie Sipe, who was of German descent. From this union there were seven children, of whom William Bailey was the oldest. He was born July 23, 1812. When he was but two years of age his parents removed from Bedford to Fayette county and settled in Springfield township. This gives William Bailey a residence in Fayette county of almost 90 years. Before he had reached his 15th year his father died. Thus early in life he was made to feel a weight of responsibility, that only those who have had like experience can fully realize. He met this responsibility with manly courage and as he expressed it to the writer, Heaven smiled on his labors and the small farm which they owned yielded abundant harvests so that they always had bread enough and to spare. Of the family in which he was born only two are now living, viz: Mrs. Margaret Friend of Normalville, this county, and Mrs. Mary Immel, wife of James Immel of Carroll county. Mrs. Fannie Kern, late deceased, wife of Squire W. M. Kern of Mill Run, was the youngest of this family. Others are J. Riley of Mill Run, Michael of Iowa and Mrs. Rebecca Hess of Stoystown. The other members of this family died a number of years ago, all having lived past the allotted time of three score and ten years.

When William Bailey was about 22 years of age he was united in marriage to Miss Mahala Wilson, daughter of Robert and Catherine Wilson, long deceased of Connellsville. By this union there were born to them 15 children, nine sons and six daughters. Of this large family, ten are still living. They are: David S. of West Newton, Hiram H. of Mt. Aro, A. M. of William R. of Exeter, Neb; Ann, wife of James R. Rush of Carroll county, 91; Rebecca, wife of W. H. Dill, Mill Run; Thomas W., John L., Amanda, wife of G. W. Moon, and Clara, wife of G. S. Jackson, all of Unionville, and J. C. of Confluence. Following in line of descent, there are 35 grandchildren and 48 great-grandchildren, in all 118 lineal descendants.

The first four or five years of their married life they spent on the farm of George Ashman, near New Haven, this country. There they accumulated enough money to buy them a tract of land in what is now known as Walbridge. This is now a beautiful little community about two and one-half miles north of Unionville. Then it was an unbroken forest.

There they built a home and for 33 years they shared its joys and its sorrows together. From this home when the Civil war broke out they gave their two oldest sons then living, for their country's defense, James and David S. They were enlisted in the 8th Pa. Volunteer. James was captured by the enemy at White Marshland and taken to Andersonville's prison. Near the close of the war when the exchange of prisoners was made James was still alive, but so nearly starved to death that he died on the transport and was buried at Hilton Head Island.

Mahala Bailey, wife of William Bailey, died 12 years ago, since which time he has made his home among his children. The old farm on which he lived so long had passed into the hands of strangers, but T. W. Bailey, who had resided for a number of years in Nebraska, returned to Fayette county something over a year ago, and bought back the old homestead, and took his father to live with him. Though many changes had been made, there were still some familiar spots on which he could look, recalling in turn the joys and sorrows of the departed years.

He was a man of more than the average in point of intelligence. For the chance he had, having the care of a family so early in age. He was unable to avail himself of the then meager advantages for securing an education, and yet he had few equals as a leader in his generation. He was a great reader and for several years of his later life this was his chief pastime. His book reading consisted mainly of one book; that book was his Bible. Much of this book he had made his own having it at ready. He could weave its inspiring thoughts into a conversation with a correctness and an impressiveness that at once convinced the listener of his abiding faith in its teachings.

Politically, he was raised under Democratic influence and voted that ticket for a time. He early learned to look on slavery as a great moral evil and was an abolitionist in sentiment. He left the Democratic party in 1850 and voted for William Henry Harrison, the Whig candidate for President. In 1856 he cast his vote for John C. Fremont, and has ever since voted the Republican ticket.

In religious faith he was a Baptist, having at an early age united with the Indiana Creek Baptist Church one of the oldest churches in Western Pennsylvania. Of this church he was a consistent member to the day of his death. He was known for his hospitality and many a weary traveler found rest and refreshments beneath his hospitable roof.

Licensed to Wed.  
Charles E. McCurdy a locomotive fireman of Pittsburgh, and Miss Bertha R. Sisson of South Connellsville have been granted a license to wed.

**OTHER PEOPLE'S CHICKENS.**

Editor Retraces Hande Out Some Ad- vice on Their Ramblings.

Uniontown Gulls: Editor Gulls, 15 to settle a dispute, will you please answer in your paper the two following questions?

If chickens are trespassing on me can I by law shoot them and eat them?

Can I when finding them off of their premises any place shoot and eat them same as game?

**SUBSCRIBER**

We are not a lawyer. We do not know precisely what you can or cannot do with other people's chickens when touring your new garden on a scratchng expedition, led by a pompous and mischievous old rooster, but on general principles would say it would be wisest to just shoot them off real hard with some stones and sticks and loud words in the usual way. The use of any other than loud words depends entirely on what church you belong to. If you are a Presbyterian you can't do it. We are a Presbyterian and we know the rule. If the trespassers should reappear on your property, as they are quite likely to do, for we have noticed that chickens have very short memories, notify the owner, and if he does not keep them up sue him for damages. You have no more right to shoot chickens away from the owner's premises than you have to shoot his horse or cow. We do not tell you this as law, but as a bit of common sense. Now as to eating your neighbor's chickens, this is rather of the opinion that if you choose to take the risk of killing them first you will not aggravate the offense, to serve them hot for dinner, providing you call in the minister, and save the scraps for a cold supper. Five days, please.

**VANDERBILT.**

Personal Chat From Dunbar Town ship's Big Village.

Vanderbilt, May 18—Miss Belle Ball returned Monday from a few days' visit at her home in Uniontown.

George Newmyer of this place was a business caller in Connellsville on Tuesday.

Michael Darr of Hazelwood is spending a few days with his brother-in-law, J. C. Moore.

Nelson Moore of this place was in Connellsville, Tuesday, calling on friends.

Miss Elvin Shallenberger of this place was in Connellsville Wednesday, shopping and calling on friends.

William Knight of this place was in New Haven Wednesday visiting his sister, Mrs. Shoenberger.

Misses Dunn and Eva K. were among the Vanderbilt people who were in Connellsville Wednesday.

Mrs. Norma L. of Monaca delivered a long range lecture in the Cum

berland Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening that commanded the closest attention of a large congregation.

Mrs. Law delved into the question of temperance in a manner that brought the evils of drunk home to her audience in a most forcible manner. From the beginning to the close of her lecture she had the closest attention.

This was the second temperance lecture Mrs. Law has given in Vanderbil

and seems to have stirred up much interest among the people.

Miss Leon Kelly, who has been visiting friends here for the last week, returned to her home in Dunbar on Wednesday.

John Rowan of this place was a business caller in Connellsville, Wednesday.

Mrs. S. B. Gillin of Flatwoods was in Vanderbilt Tuesday visiting friends.

J. P. Shallenberger, one of our well-known citizens, was in Connellsville, Wednesday, looking after some busi

ness matters.

There will be a base ball game at Dawson's Driving Park Decoration Day. The game will be between the Vanderbilt and the Pittsburgh postoffice clerks for a purse of \$100, also a 100-yard foot race for a purse of \$25 between Clarence Korda of Dawson and Robert Gillin of Pittsburgh. There will also be a bicycle race for the colored championship of the coke region.

The betters for the base ball teams are as follows: Vanderbilt, Postoffice Clerks, Gillin and Miller.

**TO ST. LOUIS.**

Louisiana Purchase Exposition Excursion via B. & O. R. R.

Excursion tickets to the St. Louis Exposition have been placed on sale at the B. & O. ticket office at Connellsville at the following rates: Fifteen day tickets, \$18.45; sixty day tickets, \$21.65, and season tickets at \$26.30. The sixty day and season tickets may be purchased either going via Akron and Chicago and thence to St. Louis, returning via Cincinnati, or the reverse of this route, thus covering nearly all the way.

Two World's Fair Excursions

Via Pittsburgh & Lake Erie. On

Tuesday, May 24, and Tuesday, May 31, special day coach excursions from all points will be run to the World's Fair at St. Louis. Tickets good for

10 days, will be sold at rates of \$13.15

for the round trip. Train will leave New Haven at 5:30 A. M., central time.

See nearest agent for further particulars or write L. A. Robson, General Passenger Agent, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Presbyterians Meet at Buffalo.

Buffalo, May 19—The 14th general assembly of the Presbyterian church of the United States will convene here today with about 750 delegates in attendance. The sessions will continue for at least 10 days.

Remember the Place.

**MR. RAILROAD MAN:—**

Are you in need of new overalls?

If you are do you want the most for your money—the ones that will wear the longest? Quite naturally you do.

Then get Peter's Brotherhood Overalls.

They are Union-Made. They are made

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He makes the best overalls. Suits,

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Domestics Take

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Talk About Cotton Going Up,

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Here it goes down on Sheets, Pillow Cases and Bolsters. Here's a ten days' treat for you

**May 16th to 26th.**

Bleached Pillow Cases:

Regular 12½ ones at.....10c

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Regular 19½ ones at.....15c

Regular 22½ ones at.....17c

Regular 19½ hemstitched at.....15c

Bolsters:

35c kind at.....29c

33c kind at.....28c

25c kind at.....21c

Sheets:

Unbleached 8½x90, 58c cut to.....49c

Bleached 8½x90, 75c cut to.....65

## TWO NEW COUNCILMEN

They Take the Place of Resigned Members Up at Dunbar.

## THE BALL GAME CANCELLED.

Point Marion Will Not Meet Furnace Town's Nine on Saturday—A Fight on the Street Cars on Wednesday Evening.

Dunbar, May 18.—Bert Collins, who is employed at the Somer-Solvar company's works here, was the victim of a gas explosion yesterday morning about 10 o'clock. Collins was at work cleaning one of the gas washers. As it was dark, he could not see. He took a torch and thrust it in the washer. Unfortunately the gas had not been turned off and an explosion occurred, burning him about the face. He was taken to Dr. W. W. Warner's office, where the burns were dressed, and from there he was taken to his boarding house. Collins is about 20 years of age and single.

The members of Council met in regular session Tuesday evening and owing to there being two vacancies, caused by the resignations of C. B. Nemon and Adam Rankin, it was necessary for their places to be filled. Louis Heurich and Pierce Baker were chosen. They are both Democrats. As the Council is apparently settled and as spring is at hand, they should get about and see that all alleys are cleared of the rubbish that has been allowed to collect during the winter.

The boys who are members of the firstline received word yesterday from Point Marion that they would have to cancel the game arranged for next Saturday. Our team will hold a box social tomorrow evening in the M. E. Church basement, so let the ladies bring boxes packed full of nice things to eat and we will show them that we are hearty eaters, even if we cannot get a game of ball scheduled that comes on at the date arranged for.

Two men, one white and the other colored, were taken off the south bound car at this place yesterday evening about 5 o'clock. The two men had been raising a disturbance on the car and when it arrived here Officer Marietta was called and the car was held a few minutes until they were placed in the lockup by Marietta. They were both from Uniontown. The colored fellow was employed at the Dunbar House several months ago as her porter.

Wally Davis left yesterday on a business trip to Scannon, Pa.

Frank Krum's father, who was here on a combined business and pleasure trip, left yesterday for Greensburg. W. H. Rapp, yardmaster for the New Haven & Dunbar railroad, left Tuesday evening for Lebanon, Pa., to attend the funeral of an aunt.

H. P. Smith received a car load of fine coal over the B. & O. from Chicago, Wednesday morning.

The Semiswift company has a force of men at work cleaning the slate roofs about their works.

The three-month-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker died Tuesday evening. The funeral services were conducted here yesterday afternoon by Rev. Dr. E. Miner. Interment was made at Connellsville.

Mrs. L. S. Kerchner was a shopper in Connellsville yesterday afternoon. William J. Gibson of Red Oak Junction was in Dunbar Wednesday. He was registered at the Central Hotel.

Read The Daily Courier.

H. P. Smith has gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich., where he expects to remain for a month or more. Mr. Smith has not been in good health for some time and he goes in hopes of benefiting his health. Although Mr. Smith lives in Uniontown, he seldom misses a day that he does not come down to the shop. Those who are used to seeing him about will miss him. He has a host of friends here who hope that his trip may be the means of doing him permanent good.

## CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items from Somerset County's Hustling Town. Confluence, May 18.—Fine rain, vegetation is looking splendid and the far station is looking splendid and the farmers rejoice.

L. B. Decore has finished letting down his store room, which adds greatly to its appearance. This was a much needed improvement.

Joseph Kreger is here today changing and repairing the walks on his property, which is occupied by our dentist, Dr. Wooford.

George Morrison is repairing his dwelling and when completed it will present a fine appearance.

Uncle Jerry Lisher has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Uppland. He reports a very pleasant time.

James and Miss Viola Struthers came up from Ohio yesterday to visit friends and relatives. Mr. Struthers returned home on the evening train, and Miss Viola will remain several days.

Alfred Ringer is thinking of raising and repairing one of his dwelling houses and repairing one of his dwelling houses.

Leonard Groff has moved to Connellsville from Sugar Loaf and is living in Charles Lasher's house on Water street. Leonard is working on the railroad for David Slabaugh, section boss.

Jacob Show as the guest of his brother-in-law, Lloyd Lisher, yesterday. We understand that he is opening a coal bank on his father's farm.

25 Cents a Month  
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## LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live News Notes. Gathered From All Parts of the Town.

There's no bread in town like Pritchard's home-made.

Harry Horton of Confluence was in Connellsville, Wednesday.

S. P. Snavage took in the bid show in Connellsville on Wednesday.

Engineer Quinn L. Pore is on the new Meyersdale-Johnstown passenger run of the Baltimore & Ohio.

Mother made good bread, but Geo. F. Pritchard makes better.

Thicker Hunt of the Weston Express of the Baltimore & Ohio, is on duty again after a vacation of several weeks.

Wanted.—Paper hangers and painters. Will pay good price. Also boy to paste. Apply at 27 E. Main street.

Conductor M. T. Lancaster is running for Dunbar Devine on trains Nos. 1 and 2. Mr. Devine is off duty on account of the serious illness of his father.

Brakeman C. F. Brill is again running with Conductor B. F. Trabott on Baltimore & Ohio trains Nos. 10 and 5, and Brakeman Andrew Allen is running or trains Nos. 1 and 2, with Conductor P. F. Rhodes.

The best home-made pies and cakes at Pritchard's.

Among the Uniontown people down to see the show in New Haven Wednesday were Harry Beeson, Woden N. Carr, E. W. Boyd, A. D. Boyd, Jr., William Lyons, Springer Todd and L. L. Minor.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Rohland returned to Homestead on No. 47 this afternoon after a visit with relatives and friends here since Sunday. Mike is an old Connellsville resident and he is always a welcome visitor. He is now a prosperous hotel keeper of Homestead.

Electric Inspector E. M. Young of the Underwriters Association of the Middle Department of Philadelphia, was a busier's caller in Connellsville today.

Miss Helen Bryce of Mt. Pleasant was calling on friends in Connellsville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William McFarland of Bigan were the guests of friends in Connellsville Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Murray of Vanderhill was calling on friends in Connellsville Wednesday.

Rev. McGroarty Will Preach.

Dr. J. T. McGroarty of Pittsburgh, one of the most prominent ministers of his church, will preach this evening in the United Presbyterian Church.

Found.

FOUND.—A POCKETBOOK, OWNER

CAN OBTAIN SAME BY CALLING AT THIS OFFICE, DURING BUSINESS HOURS, 2-5 P.M.

FOR SALE.—FRESH COW OF GOOD STOCK. Haulier, Lock No. 1, Ohio.

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LOCATION IS GOOD TOWN: ONLY

1 1/2 miles from the business

district. Owner has other business that requires his attention. Inquire at this office.

Wanted.

WANTED.—PAPERHANGER AND

PAINTER. Will pay good price.

Also, boy to paste. Apply at 127 E. Main street.

Wanted.

Howard Riley of Scottdale was calling on friends in Connellsville Wednesday.

Miss Catherine Graf of Uniontown is the guest of Miss Irene Major of Fairview avenue.

Richard Flowers of St. Mary's, Va., is visiting friends in Connellsville this week.

Mr. J. E. Wortman and daughter Mrs. Nell, of South Pittsburg, are the guests of Mrs. Lillian Dickey of Mt. Pleasant today.

Mr. P. S. Newlyn of South Pittsburg street went to Pittsburgh this morning where she will visit her son, Thomas Newlyn, for a few days.

Miss Ida Summers of Dawson was calling on friends in Connellsville on Wednesday.

Assistant District Attorney T. H. Hudson of Uniontown was calling on friends in Connellsville Wednesday.

C. M. Masten, special agent for the Underwriters' Association of Philadelphia, is transacting business in Connellsville this week.

W. K. Allen of West Pittsburg avenue was transacting business in West Newton today.

Capt. Hugh A. Gorley of San Rafael, California, arrived in Uniontown Tuesday evening for an extended visit among old friends and old acquaintances in this vicinity. Capt. Gorley was former resident of Uniontown, having left here 50 years ago.

Forty years ago Wednesday County Treasurer R. A. McClellan lost his arm at the battle of Spotsylvania. His regiment, the 116th Pennsylvania, was then in the middle of the battle.

The Glaser brothers of Philadelphia were here yesterday in the interest of a clothing firm of Philadelphia which they represent.

D. H. Smith of Smithton was in Dunbar a few hours Wednesday.

Mrs. L. S. Kerchner was a shopper in Connellsville yesterday afternoon.

William J. Gibson of Red Oak Junction was in Dunbar Wednesday. He was registered at the Central Hotel.

Read The Daily Courier.

H. P. Smith has gone to Mt. Clemens, Mich., where he expects to remain for a month or more. Mr. Smith has not been in good health for some time and he goes in hopes of benefiting his health.

Although Mr. Smith lives in Uniontown, he seldom misses a day that he does not come down to the shop.

Those who are used to seeing him about will miss him. He has a host of friends here who hope that his trip may be the means of doing him permanent good.

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Scott Dunn of Fairwood was calling on friends in New Haven Wednesday.

Hoover Davis of Scottdale was calling on friends in New Haven Wednesday.

Mrs. James Asa Childs of Pleasant

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**BOMB FOR NICHOLAS.**

**Daughter of Russian Privy Councillor Intended to Kill Emperor.**

**BETRAYED BY NERVOUSNESS**

**Police Found Deadly Missile Concealed on Her Person—Report that She has Been Executed—Aged Father Protected by the Disclosure.**

**Brigand, Prussia, May 19.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the *British Zeitung* reports that the authorities detected and thwarted a plot to attack the emperor with a bomb during the spring parade in St. Petersburg, May 10. The emperor always reviews the parade on horseback, taking a position before and slightly to one side of the pavilion from which the empress and the grand duchesses view the pageant. The municipality expects a grand stand, tickets to which are sold publicly, the names and addresses of the buyers being noted.**

**Just before the emperor arrived on the parade ground May 10 it was noticed that Miss Merezhovsky, daughter of a Russian Psychiatrist and privy councillor, Professor Merezhovsky, who occupied one of the loge-seats in the pavilion, was nervous and excited. Risking a scandal should their suspicions prove to be unfounded, the authorities ordered her arrest, which was effected untroublously. A search disclosed a slightly constructed bomb concealed in her clothing. The girl did not deny her intention of hurling the missile at the emperor, but refused to give any other information.**

**Miss Merezhovsky has been an attendant at the courses in the women's university. It is rumored that she has been hanged and her aged father is completely prostrated.**

**NEW PLAN PROPOSED.**

**Baptists Will Build up Native Ministry in Foreign Lands.**

**Cleveland, May 19.—A proposed important innovation was announced at the Baptist convention now being held in this city. It is the purpose of the church to raise an endowment fund of \$500,000 to be used in the education of native ministry in foreign mission fields. The following official statement is made of the plan:**

**The fact is recognized that the first stages of missionary effort are peculiar, and foreign peoples can not be Christianized fully until a native ministry is raised up. The board of managers have presented a recommendation that the missionary funds should enter on a campaign to raise \$500,000 for an endowment fund to be invested in trust for its educational work in the foreign field; that this fund be completed within five years, and a committee of seven appointed to have the raising of the endowment in charge.**

**The resolution was adopted amid enthusiasm. This new policy will affect the missionary work of the Baptists in all the eastern countries, especially in China, Japan and the Philippines. The selection of the special committee of seven was left to the executive committee.**

**GEN. TYNER TESTIFIES.**

**Pathetic Scene in Court When Aged Paralytic Gives Evidence.**

**Washington, May 19.—The climax in the Tyner-Barrett postoffice case before Justice Pritchard, pathetic in the extreme, was reached when Gen. Tyner was placed on the witness stand to testify in his own behalf.**

**The aged paralytic was placed in an invalid's chair and rolled up to the jury box. His counsel and the government attorneys crowded about him and the jurymen leaned forward in an effort to catch the words that came from his lips. He could scarcely be heard three feet away. Tears coursed down his cheeks.**

**He then made a general denial of the charges that had been brought against him, explaining his connection with the issuance of forged orders, saying that he had acted to the best of his ability, considering only the facts and the law in the cases presented for his consideration.**

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**Englishman Robbed at Chicago.**

**Chicago, May 19.—George Newbatt, manufacturer from London, England, stopping at the Auditorium hotel, reported that he had been robbed of \$5,000 in Bank of England notes while he was asleep in his room.**

**Still Balloting at Springfield.**

**Springfield, Ill., May 19.—The Republican state convention spent another day in fruitless balloting, and there is not the least indication of a break in the deadlock.**

**WIFE IS MURDERED.**

**alous Husband Shoots Her Dead and Then Commits Suicide.**

**Belle Vernon, Pa., May 19.—Madden by jealousy, Clyde Robinson, 21 years old, attacked his wife as she sat nursing her baby girl. The mother was shot and instantly killed, the father then sent a bullet into his own brain and died six hours later.**

**Mrs. Robinson was sitting close to the head of the sick man with the two-months-old child at her breast when the husband arrived. He fired the fatal shot without warning and the woman still clasping her child, fell headlong down the stairs.**

**When found, the baby was lying beneath the dead body of its mother, and the dying father was lying across the woman. When the child was rescued it had not even a scratch.**

**The couple had a stormy married life. They since their wedding, which was in opposition to the Robinson family's wishes, there had been almost a perpetual round of trouble.**

**The Robinsons had lived here about four months, coming from Brownsville, where the man worked in the mines. He had lately been employed at the window glass factory here. He is a son of Mrs. Morgan Ruhle of Chest Haven. Mrs. Robinson was a daughter of Amzi Lynn, a well-to-do farmer of this county, and was only 19 years old.**

**MARKET OVERSTOCKED.**

**Soft Coal Producers Have Difficulty in Selling Output.**

**Altoona, Pa., May 19.—The slump in the bituminous coal market, which began a month ago, is the worst the central Pennsylvania field has experienced in five years.**

**Almost all the operators are now having trouble in disposing of coal at tidewater or the other large consuming markets of east. There are not less than 2,000 cars of coal belonging to the different companies standing on sidings in the eastern cities and at tidewater, waiting for buyers. The market is not looking on the cars on the basis for the purpose of using the aftermath of coal to the various operators in the Pennsylvania railroad.**

**The coal companies fear that if they fail to take their cars the railroad company will withdraw them, and when they are most needed by the shippers they will be unable to get them.**

**The Pennsylvania company has within the last few days notified the soft coal shippers not to load coal on the cars unless prepared to sell the same.**

**GLAZNER MUST HANG.**

**Pardon Board Refuses to Commute His Death Sentence.**

**Harrisburg, May 19.—Nicholas Glazner, of Pittsburgh, convicted of the murder of his sweetheart, has been refused a commutation by the board of pardons. The board sent an ultimatum to the Pittsburgh to examine Glazner and he reported to the board that Glazner is sane. The death sentence against him will therefore be executed.**

**The case of Harry Fisher, of Washington county, was argued by Wm. L. Wehn, of Pittsburgh. Fisher is only 21 years of age and is serving a sentence of five years and six months at Rivesville. Six years ago while an inmate of the Pennsylvania Reformatory school at Morgantown he helped kill a watchman. He is dying of consumption, so that it is thought he will be granted a pardon.**

**WOMAN A FORGER.**

**That is Charge Made Against Wife of Stroudsburg Hotel Man.**

**Stroudsburg, May 19.—Mrs. Linda Brown, wife of Jacob Brown, a well-known hotel keeper at Canadensis, has been arrested charged with forgery.**

**The warrant was issued on complaint of Casimir B. S. Jacobs of the Stroudsburg National Bank, who made affidavit that Mrs. Brown had forged under the name of Elizabeth Bornsheen as the endorser of a note for \$900. It is claimed that there are eleven notes in existence in the various local banks and held by individuals aggregating \$4,500, which Mrs. Brown had claimed are not her endorsement. Mrs. Brown furnished bail in \$2,500.**

**COL. DICK LOSES CASE.**

**Suit Against Hindekoper for \$200,000 Decided Adversely to Him.**

**Meadville, Pa., May 19.—In the legal suit of Colonel S. B. Dick against Major A. C. Hindekoper, Judge Gummison of Erie has reported a finding in favor of Major Hindekoper for \$175,512.**

**Dick and Hindekoper owned the Pittsburgh, Bessemer and Lake Erie railroad, and about five years ago sold it to Andrew Carnegie. In settling their accounts Colonel Dick claimed that Major Hindekoper owed him \$200,000 and sued for that amount.**

**CHESS PLAYERS NECK AND NECK.**

**Cambridge Springs, Pa., May 19.—The results of the 14th round of the international chess tournament did not alter the positions of Marshall, Janowski, Lasker and Marco, who are still the leaders in the order named. Showalter is in fifth place and Mieses in sixth. Tschigorin, Pillsbury, Schlechter, Teichmann and Fox, however, may still be among the prize winners.**

**\$40,000 FOUND IN SAFE**

**AGED WOMAN'S HEIRS.**

**New Orleans, May 19.—Attorneys for heirs of Mrs. Amelia Noquez, an eccentric old woman who died about two weeks ago, broke open an old safe in her home on an order of court, finding gold, silver and greenbacks amounting to over \$40,000.**

**Burkett Endorsed for Senator.**

**Lincoln, Neb., May 19.—The Republican state convention selected delegates to the national convention, nominated a state ticket, and selected as candidate for United States senator Congressman Elmer J. Burkett of the first district.**

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**BERRY MADE BISHOP.**

Methodist General Conference Fills One of the Eight Vacancies.

**ONLY TWO BALLOTS WERE TAKEN**

Acrimonious Debate in Committee Over Heresy Charges Against Bible Schools—Colored Man May be Elected Bishop.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 19.—The crowd that besieged Hazard's pavilion seeking admittance to the Methodist conference to observe the balloting for bishops which had been fixed as the special order of the day was unusually large. Every seat was filled and hundreds were turned away, although offering various prizes for seats.

The conference voted for eight bishops, but elected only one, Joseph F. Berry, editor of the *Epworth Herald*, who received more than two-thirds of the entire vote cast on the first ballot. One other ballot was taken, but the result of this will not be known until today. Those receiving the highest votes on the first ballot were:

J. F. Berry, 331; Henry Spellmeyer, 225; Thomas B. Neely, 225; W. R. Davis, 270; R. C. Conner, 200; W. E. Bowen (colored), 242; H. C. Jennings, 173; L. B. Wilson, 173; G. W. Eckman, 166; G. H. Boethel, 116; D. W. Smith, 125; W. A. Quayle, 106. Necessary to a choice, 48.

The conference took up the call of the annual conference for memorials immediately after the regular devotional exercises. Two resolutions were presented by colored delegates from



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the south protesting against the crime of lynching and asking the conference to put itself on record as condemning these outrages. They were passed without extended debate.

An unusual feature of the session was the first appearance of a woman delegate upon the platform when Mrs. Nedra Nichols of the Nebraska conference presented a resolution which was adopted urging every pastor to preach at least once each year upon law enforcement. She spoke for five minutes on the laxity of both the church and state in the enforcement of their laws.

Upon reassembling after recess Bishop Hamilton, who presided, asked the delegates to devote ten minutes to prayer, seeking divine guidance in the important duty before them. Tellers were then appointed and the first ballot for bishop was cast.

The conference rescinded the decision to adjourn on Saturday, May 25, and fixed Monday, May 30, as the date of final adjournment. An afternoon session was held in order to hear the report of the tellers on the first ballot for bishops.

**Hartzell to Have Assistant.**

In addition to the election of new bishops one of whom may be colored, it is also proposed to elect a colored associate for Bishop Hartzell of Africa. Dr. Campbell of Monrovia, Liberia, is being urged by the missionary officers for the position and if the office is created it is likely that he will be chosen to fill it.

The ever-recurring charge of heresy is again agitating the delegates. Its latest appearance is in the committee on education where it provoked the most acrimonious discussion that has occurred between delegates of the present gathering. The outbreak came as a result of the report of a sub-committee on the memorials received by the conference relating to alleged dangerous doctrines disseminated by some of the theological schools of the church. Dr. L. W. Mumford of Philadelphia led the supporters of the charges of heresy. He was combated by Dr. Charles C. Little, president of the Garrett Biblical Institute, and Prof. Wilson S. Terry of the same institution.

Much feeling was manifested by both sides. After hours of heated debate in which strong charges against the accused institution were made and as vigorously denied the matter was referred to the sub-committee for a more extended report.

**STAND PATTERNS WIN.**

Iowa Republican State Convention Favours the Existing Tariff Law.

Des Moines, Iowa, May 19.—Iowa's long fight between "stand pat" Republicans and liberals upon issue of tariff revision and reciprocity ended in complete victory for the former in the state convention for selecting delegates to the national convention. Of 26 delegates chosen, 20 are "stand patters" and only six are liberals.

The resolutions adopted contain no sentiment whatever in favor of tariff revision but declare that the protective principle "found its high fulfillment" in the Dingley law. As to reciprocity, the platform declares that it is "unwise to seek markets abroad by sacrificing some parts of the markets at home."

**DAWSON.**

Live Notes From the Busy Little Town Down the Yough.  
Dawson, May 19.—Arthur Henderson, a McKeesport lumber dealer, was in town a few days this week on business.

Joseph W. Wright, conductor on the passenger train on the Peimkey railroad, has purchased a nice lot in the North Dawson plan, adjoining the one bought by Thomas Leonard, foreman at the Dickerson Run shops. Both men will erect handsome residences. Work will be commenced in the next few days. There will be at least 10 new houses built there the coming summer.

Mr. J. Scott Gilmore of Sutherland came down Tuesday to visit his aunt, Miss Lydia Cunningham, for a few days.

Frank Mong and family, who purchased the handsome residence in North Dawson erected by the Dawson Improvement Company, arrived here Tuesday evening. Mr. Mong is a brother of Mrs. Albert VanHorn, and will be an upright and industrious citizen. We want more such people in our town.

C. O. Schroyer, the hardware man, was in Pittsburgh on business, Wednesday.

Miss Daisy Huston, one of our popular young ladies, is in Pittsburgh visiting for a few days.

Miss E. Norine Law, who has been lecturing in Dawson and vicinity for the past week, left Wednesday for Connellsville.

Miss Anna Wright is in Harrisburg, where she is visiting her friends and relatives.

R. K. Smith is moving into the Cochran House on Griscom street, made vacant by the removal of H. McDonald and C. P. McGibbons. Mr. Smith is conducting a summer Normal school at New Haven and quite a number from here are in attendance. He reports 115 scholars on his roll.

Constables Litman of Uptown and Carson of Porpoise were in our town on Monday transacting some legal business.

Miss Margaret McDonald, the milliner, and her mother, Mrs. A. E. Ruth, proprietor of the Rush House, were in Pittsburgh on business, Monday.

Roy Reagan of Broad Ford was in town Sunday. He is a frequent visitor to our town. There must be some attraction.

Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Bell will leave town this week for a few days' visit to his old home at McKnightstown.

Paul F. Hough, a retired farmer of Lower Tyrone, left for Somerset county, where he will spend the summer. He was with his daughter, Mrs. Edmund Eberly, of this place.

William Stickel, the postmaster at Perryopolis, was in town a short time Sunday.

Edward Smith of Star Junction came Sunday and spent the day with friends here.

John S. Newmyer has a score of men at work beautifying the surroundings of his palatial residence. They are laying cement walks through the grounds and concrete pavements on railroad avenue and Griscom street. The grounds are being enclosed by a beautiful brick fence with a cut stone coping. The lawn decorations are being superintended by an artist from Pittsburgh, who is noted for his work when it comes to laying out lawns in its works of beauty. The residence is said to have cost not less than \$6,000 and is one of the finest along the Baltimore & Ohio railroad between Pittsburgh and Connellsville.

J. Calvin Core, we understand, will be the orator on the occasion of the house warming on Saturday. The gentleman from Franklin will have many nice things to say. Mr. Newmyer is general manager of the Washington Coal & Coke Company, located at Star Junction. His officers are M. M. Cochran, president; J. H. Wartz, secretary and treasurer; and J. Harry Brown of Pittsburgh vice-president. The estimated holdings of the company are valued at \$10,000,000, and is one of the most thoroughly equipped in the United States.

Mr. George C. McGill left Wednesday for Jacob's Creek, where his brother, J. S. Morrow, is seriously ill. He will be taken to the hospital at Pittsburgh on the 240 train. He is suffering from an attack of croup.

**SCOTTDALE.**

Breezy Paragraph Picked Up in the Mill Town.

Scottdale, May 19.—This evening Mrs. E. Norine Law of Detroit, Mich., will give an address in the Elverson United Brethren Church. Mrs. Law is an eloquent speaker and her subject will be on temperance, she being connected with the W. C. T. U. Every body is invited to be present.

L. E. Schaefer was a Greensburg visitor on Tuesday.

Prof. Wise of Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa., visited the Scottdale public schools and spoke very highly of the work being done by the pupils here. The Scottdale public schools are as finely equipped as any in the county.

The Pennsylvania pay car was a welcome guest here to the railroad men on Wednesday.

A colored man named Willis Rogers was arrested here the first part of the week for trying to shoot another colored, Henry Dundridge, on Saturday night. He was given a hearing before Squire Hubbs and bound over for court. He was taken to the Greensburg jail on Tuesday by Constable Joseph Hefflinger.

E. H. Reid is having a well drilled on his lot next to the Broadway Department Store.

The Senior Loyal Temperance Legion commenced in the Baptist Church on Tuesday evening drew a crowd that completely packed the church. This was the largest class that ever graduated from the Legion. The essays, recitations and readings by the graduates were well rendered. The class had been under the instruction of Mrs. Lucy A. Poole. The class colors are red and white and many of the class carried red and white carnations.

The May number of the Monthly Messenger, published by Rev. J. W. Moody in the interest of the different churches of town, presents a very

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**MACE & CO.**

BARGAIN DAY AT  
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# NO MAKE BELIEVE SALE!

## To-Morrow, Friday, May 20,

will be another of the great bargain days at the Big Store. As you are all aware, our Friday sales of the past have been a day of great offerings at this store and a day that you can purchase at great reductions.

Ladies' Hose, black, with full fashioned foot, worth 12c.  
**Friday Sale 9c.**

New arrivals in Ladies' Wash Skirts with Polka Dot, trimmings and pleats. Regular price \$1.49.  
**Friday Sale 98c.**

Albatross Waists, in cream, light blue or black, regular 83c.  
**Friday Sale \$1.98.**

Boys' Caps, in plain and fancy, all sizes, regular 50c caps.  
**Friday Sale 25c.**

Ladies' Sun Bonnets, in plain red, pink and blue, also in blue and red checks and polka dot, regular 25c value.  
**Friday Sale 17c.**

Nottingham Curtains, 29 inches wide, fine 2½ yards long, regular 90c values.  
**Friday Sale 38c.**

Ladies' Gauze Vest, with tape neck and sleeves, in sizes 4, 5 and 6. Regular 12½c and 15c values.  
**Friday Sale 9c.**

Ladies' Cream Cotton Voile Waists, Persian stripe, regular price \$1.25.  
**Friday Sale 98c.**

William Stickel, the postmaster at Perryopolis, was in town a short time Sunday.

Edward Smith of Star Junction came Sunday and spent the day with friends here.

John S. Newmyer has a score of men at work beautifying the surroundings of his palatial residence. They are laying cement walks through the grounds and concrete pavements on railroad avenue and Griscom street. The grounds are being enclosed by a beautiful brick fence with a cut stone coping. The lawn decorations are being superintended by an artist from Pittsburgh, who is noted for his work when it comes to laying out lawns in its works of beauty. The residence is said to have cost not less than \$6,000 and is one of the finest along the Baltimore & Ohio railroad between Pittsburgh and Connellsville.

J. Calvin Core, we understand, will be the orator on the occasion of the house warming on Saturday. The gentleman from Franklin will have many nice things to say. Mr. Newmyer is general manager of the Washington Coal & Coke Company, located at Star Junction. His officers are M. M. Cochran, president; J. H. Wartz, secretary and treasurer; and J. Harry Brown of Pittsburgh vice-president. The estimated holdings of the company are valued at \$10,000,000, and is one of the most thoroughly equipped in the United States.

Mr. George C. McGill left Wednesday for Jacob's Creek, where his brother, J. S. Morrow, is seriously ill. He will be taken to the hospital at Pittsburgh on the 240 train. He is suffering from an attack of croup.

At a meeting of the directors and stockholders of the Iron Company of America on Tuesday evening in the Borough Building the deal was closed for the purchase of the iron plant at Roanoke, Va., and the plant will be started at that place as soon as possible. At this meeting B. F. Overholst, and W. L. Kelly resigned as directors, which resignations were accepted, and J. W. Graham and Rev. Aaron Loucks were elected to fill their place. Rev. Loucks was also appointed chairman, vice W. L. Kelly, resigned.

Charles Haines of Bridge street has been appointed policeman to succeed John Shay. Haines started on duty Tuesday morning.

The wealthy man was about kind to the Robinson show at Connellsville yesterday as he was to Main's show here last month.

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REDUCED RATES ON P. R. R.

To Convention of Old Order German Baptist Brethren at Haines, O.

On account of the Conference of the Old Order German Baptist Brethren at Haines, O., May 21 to 25, inclusive, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell tickets to Dayton and return at the following rates: Connellsville \$10.94; Uniontown, \$11.35; and at proportionate rates from intermediate points. Tickets will be sold from May 19 to 21, inclusive, and will be good to return, leaving Dayton not later than May 26. If ticket is deposited at Dayton before that date an extension of return limit may be obtained to June 25.

The point at which this meeting will be held is six miles north of Dayton, and is reached by traction cars running from Union Station, Dayton, to within half a mile of the grounds.

For further information apply to ticket agents.

B. & O. Sunday Excursions.

Until further notice the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will sell Sunday excursion tickets between all points on the Connellsville Division, Connellsville and points at rates of one fare plus ten cents for the round trip, no fare to be less than 50 cents and none greater than \$1.50. Tickets to be good going on train No. 43 and returning on No. 49, date of issue.

Ladies' Dressing Sacques, made of percale and very nicely trimmed, in sizes from 32 to 44, regular 50c values.  
**Friday Sale 39c.**

Hecht Regatta Wash Suits, sizes 8 to 12.  
**Friday Sale \$1.00.**

Tea Toweling, full 17 inches wide, in bleached and unbleached, regular 6c value.  
**Friday Sale 5c.**

Silk Foulards in fancy patterns, all colors and every thread pure silk. Not cotton Foulards, regular 50c value.  
**Friday Sale 29c.**

Fine White Table Damask, full 54 to 56 inches in width, worth 50c to 60c.  
**Friday Sale 38c.**

Ladies' Black Skirts, nicely trimmed, all sizes, your choice of this line.  
**Friday Sale \$2.98.**

Gents' Half Hose, in fancy colors, regular 50c value.  
**Friday Sale 25c.**

Boy's Double Breasted Suits, 8 to 16, were \$2 to \$4.  
**Friday Sale \$1.50.**

Gingham Aprons in full sizes, all home made in pink and white, blue and white, and brown and white checks, a regular 35c apron.  
**Friday Sale 21c.**

Peggy from Paris, also the 6 inch loose handle bags in brown, tan and black, regular 50c and 75c values.  
**Friday Sale 39c.**

Boys' Suspenders, Hose Supporters in all sizes, regular 25c values.  
**Friday Sale 17c.**

White Ruffled Curtains, all double sewed, in plain Lawns only, regular price 50c.  
**Friday Sale 38c.**

Ladies' Very Fine Idea Linen Waists, trimmed with lace insertion or embroidery, were \$1.25.  
**Friday Sale 98c.**

Wash Pants for boys, in sizes from 4 to 12, for  
**Friday Sale 10c.**

Ladies' Black Skirts, nicely trimmed, all sizes, your choice of this line.  
**Friday Sale 79c.**

White and Colored Shirts in plain striped and fancy, a regular \$1 shirt.  
**Friday Sale 79c.**

Gingham Aprons in full sizes, all home made in pink and white, blue and white, and brown and white checks, a regular 35c apron.  
**Friday Sale 19c.**

Ladies' Gowns, in Muslin, trimmed in plain tuck lace and embroidery, all full lengths. A regular 50c to 60c gown.  
**Friday Sale 38c.**

Brass finished extension rods with polished ends, adjustable, from 24 to 44 inch, regular 15c values.  
**Friday Sale 8c.**